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WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 24, 1894.

A MUSEMENTS—With Dates of Events.

NEW LOS ANGELES THEATER.

Announcement Extraordinary.

THE BOY PHENOMENON

HAS BEEN
SECURED.

Four nights, commencing SUNDAY, October 28,

At which time he will demonstrate his unparalleled, God-given power in the cure of disease. He makes the lame walk, blind see, and deaf hear in full view of the audience, without惊动ing or removing the outer garments of the patients.

The poor will be treated entirely free upon the public stage.

Complimentary tickets will be given to the crippled, paralytic deaf and blind who are treated, to be applied at the box office each evening from 5 to 6 o'clock during the engagement.

GENERAL ADMISSION 25c; RESERVE SEATS 50c.

Box office open, 9 a.m. Saturday Oct. 27.

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MAIN ST., BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND.

THIS
EVENING AT
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BIG
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SPECIAL
Ladies' and Children's
Matinee this Saturday

First time here of the Famous Russian
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LATEST
NOVELTIES.

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SAYINGS.
LAST
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PRICES—
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BENSON'S GRAND OPERAHOUSE—A. W. BENSON, Proprietor and Manager.

MONDAY, October 28, and every following evening.

Johann Strauss, "THE MERRY WAR,"
The Walt King's master work.

A perfect production in every detail.

Popular prices, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Tel. 1427.

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The \$10,000 illusion from Paris. A beautiful living lady floating in space.

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330 South Spring Street.

Open daily from 10 to 12 a.m.; 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m. ADMISSION, 10c. No extra charge for reserved seats.

The Shoninger Piano used is from WILLIAMSON BROS., 227 S. Spring.

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THE GRAND OPENING OF THE

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INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION

Will take place at the Pavilion, corner Fifth and Olive streets, on NOVEMBER 1, with the grandest exhibits ever seen in Southern California.

Don't Miss It.

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HOTEL NADEAU, European Plan.

NADEAU CAFE.

200 elegantly furnished rooms, 60 suites with bath, supplied with all modern improvements. Rooms \$1 per day and upwards. NADEAU CAFE, C. E. AMIDON, Manager, is the finest in the city; private dining and banquet rooms. Liberally managed.

H. W. CHASE & CO.

WESTMINSTER HOTEL.

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLANS.

975 Rooms; 75 Suites with Private Bathrooms.

POTTER & JOHNSON, Proprietors.

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located in Southern California; hotel first-class; lighted by electricity; heated by hot water from springs; overlooks San Bernardino, Riverside and Redlands; bus leaves Arrowhead Station, 8:15 p.m.

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Restaurant in Southern California. Catering for weddings. Oysters 50c per dozen. J. A. AULL & CO., Proprietors.

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SECOND AND HILL—FAMILY HOTEL; APPOINTMENTS perfect; electric cars to all points. THOS. PASCOE, Prop.

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GRAND AVENUE AND LOCKE HAVEN ST., PASADENA, FIRST-CLASS in every respect. GEORGE COOK, Manager.

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PHILLIPS'S PERSONALLY CONDUCTED excursions via Southern Pacific, Rio Grande and Rock Island roads, leave Los Angeles every day during the summer. Never pass the entire Rio Grande scene and make ten hours stop at Niagara Falls; all by daylight. Office 138 S. SPRING ST.

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MOUNT LOWE RAILWAY — FOR TIME table see TERMINAL RAILWAY CO.

STOCKS BONDS AND MORTGAGES

FOR SALE—NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS, by order of the Board of Trustees of the city of Monrovia, which receive sealed bids at the office of the City Clerk, up to \$100,000. November 24, 1894. For purchases of \$20,000 6 per cent serial bonds of the city of Monrovia, beginning with serial No. 11 to 40, inclusive. W. H. MEANS, City Clerk of the city of Monrovia, Cal.

NOTARIES—

R. D. LINT, NOTARY PUBLIC; LEGAL PAPERS carefully drawn. 1394 W. SECOND.

THE MORNING'S NEWS

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The Times

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTS BRIEFED.

BY TELEGRAPH: A battle at

Wiju in which each side loses three

thousand men; the Chinese fleet or-

dered to attack the Japanese squad-

ron; operations against Port Arthur

said to be under way; twenty thou-

sand troops landed in Korea within

two weeks; the French government

threatens China unless reparation for

the missionary murders is made—

The Bill Cook gang raids several

towns in Indian Territory; the gov-

ernment considering the advisability

of sending troops into the disturbed

sections—Van Sciver's case goes to

the Nebraska Supreme Court; Detec-

tive Aube fined for battery—An ex-

citing time at San Diego; three dis-

tinct earthquake shocks—Lieut. Mc-

Ivor, U. S. A., reports on the Califor-

nia National Guard; he makes a

number of recommendations for the

good of the service—The Czar re-

ported to be gradually approaching the

climax of his disease; he was not

so well yesterday as on Monday;

Princess Alix arrives at Lividia—The

New York political tangle; Senators

Hill and Faulkner succeed in restor-

ing something like harmony; the

leaders on their campaign tour—Califor-

nia fruit under the new method of

preservation shipped satisfactorily—The

Blythe estate to be dis-

tributed—Remarkable work on the

bicycle—The Madagascans raid a vil-

lage and behead the French agents.

Dispatches were also received from

New York, Washington, Chicago, Ta-

coma, San Diego, San Francisco, Fort

Townsend, St. Louis, Louisville, Yo-

kohama, Berlin, London, Paris and

other places.

THE CITY.

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Important decision by Judge York to

as to the payment of alimony in divorce

cases—The Lamberts in court; the

father will be allowed to see his

child—The sensational Stirling-Ham-

ilton case brought to an abrupt close

by one of the parties absconding—A

man assaulted on the street by a

tramp.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

Populist meeting at Santa Ana; speech by Hon. T. V. Cator—The Bank

Association in session at Santa

Ana—W. C. T. U. meeting at River-

side—Award of contracts for furnish-

ing supplies for the San Bernardino

insane asylum—Big Republican demon-

stration at Pomona.

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NEW YORK'S TANGLE

Senators Hill and Faulkner at Work.

They Determine Upon a Policy of Compromise and Conciliation.

Certain Candidates Will Withdraw in the Interest of Harmony—Reed, McKinley and Harrison—Political Pointers.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—This has been a day of conferences among the Democratic leaders with a view to straightening out the tangles resulting from the nomination of factional Democratic candidates for Congress in this city and Brooklyn. Senator Hill addressed himself to this task early this morning and had the energetic aid of Senator Faulkner, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee, who came from Washington last night. The latter was the active mediator in the negotiations. Private conferences were held with Faulkner by Mayor Gilroy and Police Commissioner Martin, representing Tammany, and ex-Mayor Grace and Francis Scott, who ran for Mayor against Mayor Grant in 1890 on the reform ticket, representing the county Democracy. All, it is stated, were agreed on the policy of conciliation.

Terms of compromise, it is announced, are practically decided upon by which the knots will be cut and the Democrats united on a single Congress candidate in the district. All details have not yet been arranged.

It is known, however, that Tammany has agreed to withdraw its candidates in two districts and the county Democracy in the others.

The indications at headquarters point to the withdrawal by Tammany of George D. Slicks in the Tenth and Mrs. Walsh in the Eighth. Dewitt Warner, Robert Morris and ex-Congressman Dunn are mentioned as possible Grace candidates. Gen. Slicks was at headquarters this afternoon and it was stated that he was willing to make any personal sacrifice to aid Senator Hill's candidacy for Governor. The opinion was expressed by headquarters that Walsh would be most difficult to deal with. To accomplish the purpose aimed at, it was agreed to transfer Amos Cummings from the Thirteenth to the Eighth District, but it is learned that Cummings has already resigned and his protest was backed by a delegation of Trade Assembly people this afternoon, who allowed to remain where he is. Democratic managers have been at work today in the Brooklyn Congress situation, and express themselves elated at the prospects of unity.

Cleveland's departure from Bazzard's Bay on his way to Washington was an event of importance and gave rise to many rumors among them being one to the effect that he had agreed that in the event of action on the candidates for Congress, to make a speech in Senator Hill's favor before returning to Washington. Both Chairmen, Thomas and Maj. Hinckley, treated the report lightly, but the former firmly maintains that the President will be heard from at the proper time.

The big campaign "below water" began tonight, Senator Hill speaking in Brooklyn, and Tammany held a mass meeting at the wigwam. The "Committee of Seven" at which Carl Schurz, Seth Low, ex-Secretary Fairchild, Dr. Parkhurst and other eminent reformers, spoke in favor of the election of Strong for Mayor against Tammany and its methods. Vice-President Stevenson was on the platform to make the speech, and the McKinley and the Tammany law.

AN ESTEE MEETING.

STOCKTON, Oct. 23.—The Estee meeting tonight was the largest seen here in many years. The Alliance Club of Oakland came on a special train of four cars, and a Sacramento special of five cars, came crowded to the doors. A torch-light procession marched to the Agricultural Pavilion, where Estee and Fairchild addressed fully eight thousand people.

AT NEVADA, MO.

NEVADA (Mo.), Oct. 23.—Vice-President Stevenson arrived here at 12:30 o'clock, and was escorted to the public square, where he spoke for an hour. Fully twenty thousand people were in attendance.

THEIR RECORD IN SEVEN MINUTES.

CARTHAGE (Mo.), Oct. 23.—A special train bearing Vice-President Stevenson, ex-Gov. Francis and other distinguished Democrats, arrived from the south at 10 o'clock. Mayor Jacobs, a Republican, and the other Vice-President. After driving around the city the Vice-President addressed an audience in a seven-minute talk, devoted to the record of the Democratic party.

STEVENSON'S LITTLE JOKE.

PITTSBURGH (Mo.), Oct. 23.—Vice-President Stevenson was accorded a hearty welcome upon his arrival here at 8:15 o'clock this morning. He addressed a large crowd. He attributed the ill from which the country has been suffering to the legislation of the Reed Congress. He declared the Democratic party had kept faith with the people and expected prosperity will come under the adoption of the new tariff act.

A SYMPOSIUM AT SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD (Mo.), Oct. 23.—Several thousand people were at the depot at 6 o'clock this evening with the Second Regiment Band to welcome Vice-President Stevenson to this city. A mighty cheer went up when the Vice-President and his party alighted from the train. Long before the appointed hour for the speaking every seat in the Grand Opera house was taken, and hundreds of ladies were present in the boxes. Tammany at the polls on November 6.

At Cooper Union the proceedings were marked by intense enthusiasm, from start to finish. The names of Col. W. L. Strong, Republican candidate for Mayor; J. W. Goff, candidate for Recorder; Dr. Parsons, Dr. Joseph H. Clark and ex-Gov. W. H. Gann were evoked loud and continued applause. The ratification of the ticket was passed by acclamation.

AN ARRANGEMENT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—At Democratic headquarters it is said an arrangement has been made regarding the nominees for Congress, whereby Gen. Slicks and G. S. Walsh, Tammany candidates, will withdraw. Amos J. Cummings and Jacob A. Carter remain on the ticket.

GOT ANOTHER MAN.

BUFFALO (N. Y.), Oct. 23.—The Democrats have nominated Jacob Morganstein of Buffalo for Congress in the Thirtieth District, in place of Martin Reitsteller, deceased.

WALSH IS STILL IN IT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—James J. Walsh, candidate for Congress in the Eighth District, said tonight that the reports concerning his retirement from the contest were false.

SOFT SOAP FOR DAVID.

CLEVELAND (O.), Oct. 23.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney is in this city today on business. In an interview regarding the political situation in New York, he said: "So far as Senator Hill's campaign for the Governorship is concerned, there can be no doubt that he will make a most brilliant and energetic contest. He was nominated at the Saratoga convention through no action of his own, as I have every reason to know, and in fact, was nominated in spite of it. He is, however, a magnificent leader and will make the campaign one of the most

notable of the many campaigns he has conducted for the Democratic party in New York. This is, of course, an off-year for the Democratic party. It is with every party in this country that the administration is always a dangerous one to the administration.

"In spite of this, however, Senator Hill will bring to bear all enthusiasm and all the wonderful powers of organization of which he is capable. He is, too, uniting under his standard all the sectional wings of the party in New York city, who, in spite of local differences there, have but one standard for the Governorship."

"Will the Cleveland administration endorse Senator Hill?"

"At what the President or the members of his party finally will do, I have no means of knowing. Carlisle, I understand, is to speak in the campaign."

"What is your opinion as to the position the Republicans are taking in this campaign that the cause of the recent financial disturbances was due to the accession of the Democratic party to power?"

"It would seem to any one who has had an opportunity to study and observe the widespread business contraction, not only throughout the United States but almost every country in Europe, that some more general cause than the tariff was the cause of the financial disturbance."

"What do you think the prospects for the future business?"

"Business is certainly improving, and has been for some time past. What is of greater importance, however, is the fact that the business of the future is destined to be founded on a much surer basis than ever before."

ALONG THE OHIO.

BROOKLYN (W. Va.), Oct. 23.—Gov. McKinley's tour today was along the bank of the Ohio River, on the Ohio River Railroad. He was accompanied by S. E. Elkins, ex-Secretary of War. At Mason City several hundred people welcomed Gov. McKinley, who made a speech.

A CONTINUAL OVATION.

WHEELING (W. Va.), Oct. 23.—Stops for speeches were made at numerous armories and armories, and the speakers were all of which the greatest enthusiasm manifested. Dewitt Warner, Robert Morris and ex-Congressman Dunn are mentioned as possible Grace candidates. Gen. Slicks was at headquarters this afternoon and it was stated that he was willing to make any personal sacrifice to aid Senator Hill's candidacy for Governor. The opinion was expressed by headquarters that Walsh would be most difficult to deal with. To accomplish the purpose aimed at, it was agreed to transfer Amos Cummings from the Thirteenth to the Eighth District, but it is learned that Cummings has already resigned and his protest was backed by a delegation of Trade Assembly people this afternoon, who allowed to remain where he is. Democratic managers have been at work today in the Brooklyn Congress situation, and express themselves elated at the prospects of unity.

GIVING 'EM A "FIL."

DOVER (Del.) Oct. 23.—Enthusiastic Democrats greeted Thomas F. Bayard, ex-Ambassador to Great Britain, here tonight. Bayard said that when from across the ocean he saw the numerous financial disasters that had overtaken the country he said: "What a victory this is, a victory that will affect our entire government. Under these circumstances," he said, "it was not necessary to inform the Democrats of Kings county of the importance of this election."

Turning to national questions, he called attention to the fact that through the efforts of Senator Bayard, voters could go to the polls at this election with no marshal to protect them. He referred to the repeal of the McKinley law and the substitution of the Wilson bill, which, although it may not please the people, is yet a measure within the scope of reason and possibility. The Wilson bill, he said, will not reach as far as the speaker could have liked on free materials, and while the duty was not taken off of coal and iron, it was materially reduced. He had yet to hear that any Republican manufacturer had made objection because of the decrease of coal on iron. He went to the head of manufacturers seeking to reverse the way of women because the bill was to blame for it. The McKinley bill gave us free sugar with a string to it. The new bill is, in the main, for the consumer of the land. It is not all that might be expected, but it is a long step toward the right one.

Senator Bayard concluded for the Democratic party's responsibility for the panic and the hard times. The hard times could be traced to other sources, the Sherman bill, which the Democrats repealed, and the McKinley law.

He said all the measures which had been passed at the session of which were now exhibiting themselves had been enacted by Republicans. He told how the Democrats had accumulated a surplus and how the Republicans when they again came into power rapidly caused it to disappear by prodigal expenditures. Then the Republicans, whether it was with insurance disasters from which you have barely escaped, or whether you will place power again in the hands of the party to which America owes her worst woes and her greatest suffering."

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the diamonds produced during the past year were valued at \$14,000,000.

Referring to the American duty on diamonds he said that was for free trade, but was also for reciprocity. If they shut Brother Jonathan's products out of Cape Colony they would perhaps bring him to his senses. He would not again ask the shareholders to vote \$50,000 to extract their diamonds in America. The moral was that they should leave America alone.

IN PLACE OF EX-GOV. WALTER.

NORWICH (Conn.), Oct. 23.—At the Third District Democratic Congress Convention, held here today, Cyrus O. Beckwith was nominated, in place of ex-Gov. Thomas Walter.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

GREENWICH (Conn.), Oct. 23.—President Cleveland and partners met at the station here today, by E. C. Benedict, and were entertained at his home, "The Maples."

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[COAST RECORD.]
THE NATIONAL GUARD

A Criticism by Competent Authority.

Lieut. G. W. McIvor, U.S.A., on the Weak Points of the State Troops.

The Blythe Estate to be Distributed—Dr. Heydecker Insane—The Ship Ivanhoe Given Up for Lost. Fruit Shipments.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 23.—Lieut. G. W. McIvor, of the regular army, who was detailed to report on the condition of the National Guard, today filed his report with the Adjutant-General. His first deals with the June encampments of the First and Sixth Infantry regiments at Santa Cruz and Stockton, respectively, and that of the Seventh and Ninth, at Santa Monica in August. In the Stockton camp, he says there were unseasonable proceedings after tape, and little effort was made to check them, the officers in some cases taking part in the disturbances. In the formations of companies the men were very slow, the delay being sometimes ten minutes. He was told that the men were sleepy, and could not be made to turn out. The camp regulations were good, and he found much to please him, and the men presented a good appearance, but were lax in the details of drill. Enlisted men were careless about saluting officers. He also gave instruction to the men at Santa Cruz, and spoke well of their conduct and efficiency. A good account is also given of the Santa Monica camp.

He devotes considerable space to the service performed by the National Guard during the railroad strike, going over the ground previously covered in other military reports. He says the San Francisco regiments went to Sacramento poorly equipped for service, speaks of the meager pay received by the men, gives an account of the sensational events of the memorable Fourth of July. He finds that there were 32 men in line, and 113 officers, more than one-half the latter being gold and staff officers. The placing of the Sacramento men at the head of the column, he says, was a wise move, as the depot was, he thinks, an unwise disposition of the troops, as the moral effect that might have gone with the strange troops was lost. With the crowd of men, women, and children mixed up with the soldiers and strikers he says it is not surprising if any could have been used in the order had been given. The lieutenant refers to the fact that "no effort was made to effect an entrance with the San Francisco troops at the east end of the depot, which was open and unobstructed." After giving considerable space to the situation at Oakland, Lieut. McIvor closes his report with the following recommendations:

First.—A reorganization of the National Guard into three districts, each under the command of a brigadier-general, with headquarters at Sacramento, San Francisco, and Los Angeles respectively.

Second.—A reduction in the number of division, brigade, and regimental staff officers to something like the requirements of actual service. The excessive proportion of staff officers in service during the summer months of some significance to the people of California, he believes, they were all under pay. For example, the First Infantry had with it at one point eight regimental staff officers performing duties which in the regular service would ordinarily devolve upon two officers.

Third.—A material reduction in the number of companies, and an increase in the strength of each company so that each shall consist of not less than sixty listed men, instead of forty-seven, as at present. Under existing conditions some of the companies will be dimly minded up to the minimum limit prescribed by law.

In San Francisco there are twenty-seven company organizations included in three regimental organizations, a battery of artillery, a troop of cavalry, a cavalry battalion, and a medical corps. I am inclined to believe that this is a large number for all to be maintained up to the proper standard in numbers. In many cases throughout the State there is habitually a small attendance at drills, and companies of ten appear at camp as insignificant squads. At one encampment at San Monica it was necessary to combine the two four-pieces in all in order to make a four-company battalion of sufficient size to illustrate some of the movements in the "drill regulations."

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Fifth.—The maintenance in San Francisco of a four-company battalion, to be uniformed, equipped, as is now required, and which, in addition to being drilled as infantry, shall receive as far as practicable instructions in the handling of heavy guns. The value of such a force as an auxiliary to the regular artillery in case of war is well recognized.

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A BRUTAL CRANK.

A. L. Drunn Beats His Wife Because She Was Not Speedy.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

VANDALIA (Ill.), Oct. 23.—A. L. Drunn and wife, hailing from St. Louis, have been making a tour of Illinois and Indiana on bicycles. Near this city last evening Drunn became angry at his wife because she could not keep up with him, knocked her off her wheel and beat her shamefully. She was found in an almost senseless condition by the roadside and brought here. Later she was sent to St. Louis. Drunn was arrested.

A CHEERFUL MISSIVE.

"Richard Roe" Confesses to a Plot Against Judge Crichton.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

FRESNO, Oct. 23.—A. Hendish plot to murder Judge W. D. Crichton and blow up his house came to light today. It was planned by a man whom he had sentenced to jail. About two days ago Judge Crichton lost a valuable buggy horse, appar-

ently from colic, but is now believed to have been poisoned. Today he received a letter through the postoffice signed "Richard Roe" in which the writer says he poisoned the animal out of revenge because he had been sent to jail without cause.

The writer further states that he had tried to poison the family, but failed to have his dog poisoned in the house. This, he said, he had done by placing a stick of stove wood loaded with gunpowder in the woodpile. He closes by saying he has had revenge enough and warns them of the loaded stick, stating that he did not wish to kill the cook.

ALL HOPE ABANDONED.

The Search for the Ivanhoe Proves Frustrated.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.), Oct. 23.—The twin Pioneer today returned from a cruise along the west coast of Vancouver Island, in search of the ship Ivanhoe. The shore line was diligently scanned, but no fresh wreckage was observed. Near Clayquot Sound, the remnants of four old whalers were found. Stops were made at all the Indian villages, but nothing was learned of the fate of the missing ship. The wreck reported of Cape Flattery three weeks ago had been driven south by the heavy northwest gales that prevailed after the big storm.

All hope for the safety of the Ivanhoe seems to be abandoned, it is believed the passengers and crew may have picked up by a foreign outward-bound vessel in which event they may be transferred to an inward-bound vessel, or landed at Honolulu. The United States cutter Grant, which went out on Saturday to assist in the search, has not been heard from yet.

THE BLYTHE ESTATE.

Mrs. Hinckley is Entitled to Have it Turned Over.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The litigation over Millionaire Blythe's estate seems to be as good as ended. Probate Judge Coffey today ruled that Florence Blythe Hinckley is entitled to have the property distributed to her as soon as possible. Judge Coffey granted her application for a decree of distribution and a formal order will be issued immediately.

The host of opposing counsel in the case immediately rushed off to the Supreme Court building, declaring that Judge Coffey had exceeded his jurisdiction, and that they would apply for a writ of certiorari. Alice Blythe, who claims to be the widow of the deceased millionaire, who has pending in the Superior Court an appeal from Judge Coffey's ruling, declined to speak to the press. The lawyers hope to stay the distribution of the estate.

ON THE BAR.

Plight of a British Ship at the Golden Gate.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The British ship Evesham Abbey, in ballast from Yokohama for this port, arrived off the heads this evening and was notified by the pilot boat Lady Mine to proceed to Portland. Later in the evening the steamer Celia arrived and reported the vessel on the four-fathom bar making signals for assistance.

The bar was breaking badly. It is believed that the vessel came in too far and had to drop her anchors and signaled for assistance so that she could get an offing. They have gone to her assistance.

LATER.—The vessel was simply waiting for further orders before proceeding to Portland.

NORSE SETTLERS.

British Columbia Wilds to be Populated with Sturdy Farmers.

Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

VICTORIA (B. C.), Oct. 23.—Rev. Simon Saagstadt, pioneer minister of the Lutheran church in Minnesota, with his little band of eighty Norwegian farmers, have gone thus far on their way to Bells Creek, where they with about three thousand of their countrymen are proposing establishing a new Norway among the British Columbia Mountains and the interior of the land of their own native land. These Norwegians are preparing to engage in mining, farming and development of the deep-sea fisheries. They are the first to take advantage of the British Columbia government's new terms to settlers.

The Norwegians are a sturdy lot of men and promise to make good settlers. Their families and friends will follow as soon as they have completed building the houses, whose construction will be their first duty. Rev. Saagstadt says that, in addition to the two thousand now in all) in order to make a four-company battalion of sufficient size to illustrate some of the movements in the "drill regulations."

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A Conductor KILLED.

PINOLE, Oct. 23.—Conductor George Elliott of freight train No. 10 fell from his train at the junction of Pinole and Lodi. He was so badly cut up that his remains were gathered in a barley sack. It is supposed that he was walking over the train from the caboose when he slipped and fell. His train crew did not miss him as they reached Point Costa. Elliott was about 30 years of age and a popular among the rail road people. He has been married only about six months.

Dr. Griffith's Brand.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Dr. E. M. Griffith was acquitted in the Police Court today on the charge of cruelty in branding a baby with the letter "M." Several doctors testified that the branding was not done with a hot iron, and that the operation was not excessively painful.

A DIRTY MESS.

PORTLAND (Or.), Oct. 23.—An evening paper says that Major Frank will call for a thorough investigation of a charge of bribery, which is made against certain members of the City Council. The charge consists in a statement of C. S. Bratton, formerly manager of the Oregon Fertilizer

Company, which has the contract for the cremation of the city garbage, to the effect that he paid them \$260 in order to have his bill for August allowed.

Dr. Heydecker Insane.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 23.—The mental condition of Dr. H. R. Heydecker, formerly house physician at Hotel del Coronado, became worse today, and his mind was in a condition of delirium, a complaint in the District Attorney's office charging him with being insane. An arrangement was later effected, by which Dr. Heydecker is to be sent to his former home in New York.

The Adams's Heel.

VALLEJO, Oct. 23.—The U.S. Adams naval drydock on the drydock at the Mare Island navy yard today. It was then ascertained that the damage to the vessel's keel, incurred when she ran aground in Afakian waters, is very slight. The false keel was broken in a few places, but an outfit of \$500 will put the ship in good order again.

Had Another Husband.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 23.—Reginaldo Valencia, an attorney of this city, has begun an action in the Superior Court for divorce from Mary Postwick Harvey Valencia, on the ground, as alleged, that at the time of their marriage the defendant had a former husband living, from whom she was not divorced.

Southern Pacific Changes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The Southern Pacific officials scheduled for next January, is the retirement of R. H. Pratt, assistant general superintendent; also of Richard Gray, general traffic manager. Their successors have not been announced.

A Damaged Character.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Kira Isabella J. Martin today began suit against Mrs. Henry Martin for \$750,000 for damages alleged to be done to her character and standing in the community by the defendant.

A LIVELY ONE.

Yesterday's Quake Disturbed the People of San Diego.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 23.—(Special Dispatch.) There was a lively earthquake shock here at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. Frightened people rushed from their houses and business places, expecting serious trouble. The shock lasted about fifteen seconds. An English guest at Hotel Brewster almost jumped down two flights of stairs in his eagerness to reach the street. The pests at the Hotel Florence were so frightened that they fled. The queen of the shock was struck by the supporting a flagstaff.

A dispatch from Alpine, thirty miles east of here, reports a very severe shock. The course of the shock appears to have been from southwest to northeast. A lady in the Hotel Florence was so frightened that she was unable to leave her chair and stand.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 23.—This city and neighboring towns were visited this afternoon by a series of earthquakes of more than ordinary severity. The first occurred at 3:03 o'clock, and was followed at intervals of a quarter of a minute by two others, the last being one of the strongest experienced hereabouts since the coming of the American.

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The Chamber of Commerce at Lourenco Marques has cabled to the Portuguese government that the condition of affairs in an震able. Business is at a standstill. The port of Lourenco Marques, Portugal, urged to have the Transvaal government send troops.

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RAIN ON THE WAY.

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The weather observer reported another slight shock at 4:25 o'clock; not so strong as the first ones, but quite perceptible. It was not felt on the ground. The vibrations came from east to west in all instances, but did no damage.

THE ARDLAMONT CASE.

Maj. Dudley Hambrough to Sue the Mutual Life Company.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—A suit will be begun in London within the next month which involves the Mutual Life Insurance Company of this city, and which turns upon one of the most remarkable tragedies Great Britain has ever known. The tragedie involved is far older than the now celebrated Ardlamont mystery.

The suit is brought by Maj. Dudley Hambrough, father an administrator of Cecil Hambrough deceased, to recover from the company insurance to the amount of \$100,000, effected upon the life of Cecil Hambrough, a child of a young man about the age of 15. His Hambrough fell ill with Alfred John Monson and his wife, who were impure, yet had taken the estate of Ardlamont. The Monsons acted as tators of young Hambrough, and, in order to secure them for the money he then was unable to give them, young Hambrough consented to let them insure his life in their favor to the amount of \$100,000.

The Mutual Life consented to let Hambrough insure himself and then transfer the policies to the Monsons. Young Hambrough then made a motion to the court to have the policies transferred to him. The court agreed, and the Monsons were to be paid \$100,000. The court then ruled that the policies were to be paid to the Monsons.

The result was that Peffer claimed to have been robbed of \$200 the day before, discovered the missing money on a shelf behind his bed of roses. He was then taken to a police station and was charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was then taken to a police station and was charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was then taken to a police station and was charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was then taken to a police station and was charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was then taken

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

M'LAUCHLAN AND THE HARBOR.

GRAND—The Merry War.
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BURSHANK—The Silver King.

The Times may be purchased in San Francisco at the Baldwin and Occidental Hotel news stands. Price 5 cents only.

A FALSE FRIEND.

It is a common thing to have Democrats refer to their party as one which makes a specialty of taking the workingmen under its sheltering wing, while the Republican party, we are asked to believe, is at the service of plutocrats and big manufacturers. This is twaddle. What does the tariff legislation of the late Democratic Congress show? The Sugar Trust was favored, at the expense of the sugar consumer, which means every man, woman and child in the country, while a bounty which made possible the employment of hundreds of thousands of men in producing American sugar was removed. The woolen manufacturers were favored at the expense of a million wool-growers.

What nonsense to assert that the reduction of duties under this tariff will be a relief to the farmer, the artisan, and the workingman! The duty on every article which the farmer produces has been greatly reduced, but the articles the farmer, the artisan and the workingman have to buy are by no means reduced in the same degree. The great reductions made by this bill are in articles of luxury. Here is a list of a few articles, with the reduction in duty under the present tariff. It will be noticed that they are scarcely such articles as are consumed by the laboring classes, by mechanics or by farmers, to any considerable extent:

Imports, Reduce-Per	tion, cent.		
1893.			
Paintings and stat-	ure	\$22,366,765	\$42,557 20
Decorated chin-ware	6,938,000	2,233,987 32	
Ostrich feathers and flowers	1,619,101	265,330 15	
Plate and cut glass	1,000,000	215,667 21	
Jewelry	636,462	76,066 11	
Kid gloves	450,000	87,000 22	
Laces and em- broderies	4,873,293	1,827,890 40	
Silk dress goods, velvets, plushes, etc.	13,475,282	2,720,605 20	

Shades of Jeffersonian simplicity! Meantime, however, the Sugar Trust has been well taken care of. And yet Democratic orators will continue to assert that theirs is the party of the people. Such a statement sounds well on the stump, but it won't bear even a cursory investigation.

A BARMECIDE FEAST.

The farmers are getting a good chance to judge of the beauties of Democratic legislation. Wool is by no means the only product that has gone down to ruinously low prices. When the Cleveland campaign was under way we were promised \$1.25 wheat. Perhaps it was \$1.25 a ton that was intended. The price seems to be tending in that direction.

According to the report of the Kansas Department of Agriculture, more than 16 per cent of the wheat raised in that State in 1893 was fed to the hogs and other farm animals. This was more profitable than to sell it for 35 cents a bushel.

It seems, then, that it is not the farmers, but the hogs, who are enjoying the banquet which was promised as a result of Democratic rule. Even this, however, cannot last long, and the hogs will have to starve unless we get another change.

A good many of the farmers who are suffering from this condition of affairs have themselves to blame for it. They were doing well, but they wanted a "change"—and they got it. Some of them—especially in the hog-wheat State—tried Populism, and the result was to say the least, not a brilliant success.

Will these farmers, and their brethren in other States, again run after false gods, or will they turn to the party which has fulfilled its promises and made this country what it was before the Democrats began to undo the good work of thirty years?

Mr. McLachlan addressed a large and enthusiastic audience at Pomona last evening. His remarks were listened to with the closest attention, and elicited frequent and hearty applause. His comparison of the McKinley and the Wilson tariffs was very decidedly to the disadvantage of the latter, and was based on facts, and figures which cannot be explained away nor disproved. He declared himself unequivocally on the harbor question, in favor of San Pedro, and with equal definiteness and emphasis in opposition to railroad extortion and monopoly. Mr. McLachlan is waging a winning battle in behalf of the people, and of the best interests of the Sixth Congress District.

The Populists were somewhat disappointed yesterday, to find that the Democrats did not rush to men and beg the privilege of fusing with nominees for Councilmen, and, as a result, the adjourned session of their city convention was not so satisfactory as it was anticipated it would be. Last week the Populists met and decided that they would permit the Democrats to join issues with them on Councilmen, and postponed further action until their friends had gathered together and made up a partial ticket. The Democrats, however, did not consider the proposition favorably, strange as it may seem, and selected their ward nominees regardless of Populistic affiliations. So the People's party members were obliged to do the best they could yesterday, and make a show of force in the face of disappointment. They endorsed the nomination of Le Compte Davis, for City Attorney, and also J. C. Cushman for Councilman from the Sixth Ward.

All of the queer-visaged individuals of the Populist persuasion in the city congregated at Labor Hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. C. Schnabel was master of ceremonies, while Mr. Hinther and other like erratic personages, made up the motley and weird contingent of those who would revolutionize the laws of the country if they were given the chance.

There may be a deficit in the national finances, under Democratic management, but there is evidently no deficit in the funds raised to re-elect Chairman Wilson. It is stated on good authority that \$30,000 has already been sent into his district, and that more will be forthcoming as need arises. Mr. Wilson must have an "indorsement," even if it does come high.

A farmer living at Sugar Grove, a small way-station on the Chicago and Iowa railroad, fifty miles west of Chicago, made a partial contract before the passage of the Gorman-Wilson tariff bill to sell one hundred tons of hay to a dealer in Dalton, Mass. After the passage of the new tariff, the Dalton dealer canceled the contract, alleging, as a reason, that he could obtain his hay from \$2 to \$3 per ton cheaper by importing it from Canada. Free traders declare that the tariff affords no protection to the American farmer; but this Illinois farmer knows better.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Additions to the Permanent Exhibit.

New Attraction Promised.

The bananas grove that surrounds the elephant at the Chamber of Commerce was donated by O. E. Roberts of Hollywood, who stated that his grove of three-fourths of an acre is loaded with fruit from which he has sold thus far this season 100 bunches of fairy good bananas.

The oranges, which are four pounds each are exhibited by J. Rodger & Sons of Santa Paula. They contain about one barrel of condensed tears.

A. P. Griffith of Arzusa displays the late yellow Alberge peach.

Thomas Shooter adds to his collection a set of the puppets from Hesteria, measuring thirteen inches across. This is one of the largest specimens of the kind ever placed on exhibition.

The Chino sugar factory has placed in the chamber exhibits of their best sugar in its various stages of manufacture.

The State Experimental Station shows exhibits of the local grains and cereals raised in this vicinity. J. H. Lampert installs a table of lemons, oranges, apples, pears, peaches, dried fruits, potatoes, corn, pumpkins, beets, melons and squashes, the product of Burbank district. Mr. Sustad also adds his table to the exhibit, covered with products without irrigation.

Mr. Ed Ayers of Troy exhibits a case of prunes. S. W. Ruffin of El Monte shows a fine specimen of stock beef weighing sixty pounds, raised without irrigation.

The attendance at the chamber still keeps up. Six hundred people passed through the hall yesterday. Many Eastern visitors are registered, who express their admiration of the exhibit, but want photographs of it to send back East. One gentleman is so taken with the taking of the instrument that he has offered to give a two-hour concert daily on the piano. If the instrument is furnished by the chamber. As he is said to be a fine musician, the effort will be made to accept his offer, and add another attraction to the chamber.

THE BOY PHENOMENON.

He Will Appear at the Los Angeles Theater Next Sunday.

On Sunday evening next the "Boy Phenomenon" will appear at the Los Angeles Theater in one of his marvelous demonstrations of the healing power of magnetism. Crowds have grieved him whenever he has appeared, and his work has never failed to attract the most intense attention. The curse effected no nothing short of marvelous. The boy, who was the owner of his possession of the instrument, was discharged from the chamber, and entitled to the possession of all of said property.

"The above findings of the court, which are confirmed by the Supreme Court, are sufficient evidence as to the falsity of the charge, and the complaint and need to open convention, and no comment from the committee.

"That plaintiffs were not induced to make sales by an false statements or misrepresentations made by said Schnabel.

"That said Schnabel promised to pay for said goods as sold and delivered to him with the exception and intention of paying for the same.

"That said Schnabel was not insolvent at the time of said purchase; that plaintiff did not rescind said sales, or either of them; that, on said 23rd day of December, 1889, and at the time of the taking of the instrument, he was in full possession of the same.

"That plaintiff's agent, Borsum,

THE LETTERS.

James H. Budd's Compromising Epistles.

He Wrote to His Victim's Parents, Telling How Poor Nancy Neff Died in the Pesthouse.

Correspondence that Convicts Him of Crime—More from the Record of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon.

(San Francisco Evening Post, October 22, 1894.) On Saturday the Post laid before the people of California the certified copy of a complaint filed in the Supreme Court of Oregon. It was a plain, lawyer-like document, and this paper made no effort to add to it by calling names. The arraignment was a severe one.

It showed that James H. Budd had betrayed his ward, a girl too young and innocent to know the world; it showed that he brought her to San Francisco, and placed her in a room on Sixth street, where a baby was born, and where the baby died. It showed that James H. Budd, two or three days after the death of the child, had the mother removed to the poor house of this city. It showed that on the night before she died, she signed a will with a cross purporting to give all her property to him.

The witnesses to that will were shown to have disappeared, shortly after it was made, and they have not been seen here since. The court record also shows that James H. Budd was charged with making an effort to defraud the aged parents of his victim out of some property.

The story is a sad one; it is also revolting. It is not one that the Post likes to publish.

But it is true, and the man who is concerned in it has aspired to be Governor with the record against him. A paper that had the facts would be derelict to public duty if it did not publish them, and the Democratic paper, which is of the same set forth here, were tricked in nominating Mr. Budd will be derelict in their duty to the party if they do not take James H. Budd off the ticket.

Joseph P. Kelly, whose reputation is clean and pure, compared with that of James H. Budd, was repudiated by the local Democracy for his unscrupulous testimony of one man. Do the records of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon, the letters that Budd himself has written and the proved evidences of many men not compare with the word of Max Popper?

No defense has been made of the story published in the Post, and it has been denied the charge of fraud in the land case on Budd's behalf; but he was too honorable to seek to defend him for his treatment of that poor little girl, who died in the pesthouse of San Francisco, still he called Budd an honorable man. That it was a momentous and decided political effect. We shall see wherein Mr. Budd's honor lies. The Democratic organ here attempts to deny part of the story, but falls signally, and would not publish James H. Budd's "explanation" because it was a weak title it convicted him. Nor would the other party publish his explanation for the same reason.

The record is against James H. Budd, and it may not be disputed. The courts are open to Mr. Budd, and damages for injury to his reputation may be gained if the story is untrue. Criminal procedure could be instituted against the publishers of the libel, and the jail is the only place for a man who would, for whatever purpose, concoct a tale of the sort published Saturday of James H. Budd.

That is true, and it has not been half told yet. There are letters that prove that Budd was a scoundrel, and the Post is charged to him, and the Post is sorry that a generation of the nation of the states may come to the defense of Budd should have called him an honorable man.

No honorable married man could write the letters that James H. Budd did, nor could he do what Budd did. It is to be feared that the attorney used the word in his May 1st meaning.

The letters are authentic; James H. Budd's father was called to prove that they were in his son's handwriting, which would lead one to believe that James H. Budd had himself denied that he wrote them.

The person to whom James H. Budd refers in these letters is Nancy Neff, his victim.

On Oct. 15, 1876, he wrote to Nancy's brother, George, from Stockton:

Your thoughts of me, as shown by your letter, are very pleasant. When I am sorry, I am comforted with you now, and shot ducks, but it may not be long before all will be changed, and I near you all. Take care of Nancy, and don't allow anyone to abuse her on any account, or I will be angry.

Last night I swore off drinking in Stockton saloons until I see you again. Again asking you to be a good boy and take care of Nancy, I am your brother,

JAMES.

It would be well at this time to bear in mind that he was married in 1873.

On Feb. 18, 1877, he wrote:

Dear Brother, Sister, Father and Mother: You are all well, I hope. When I wrote it I was heart-broken. I am now nearly crazy with grief. Fate and the gods have treated us very roughly. Joy has departed, and grief has taken its place.

Our Nancy came to San Francisco last month. I met her at the hotel. On her face was the flush of health. Never had I seen her better, never had I loved her more. She was the personification of health, beauty and joy. We laughed and chatted and talked over old times, and of Lewis River, of happy Oregon, of you all, and of Uncle Tom, and of the mesquites.

A little over a week since she telegraphed she was sick. I went below and stayed with her Wednesday night and Thursday night, during all of which time she lay in a burning fever. Thursday night I came to Stockton. Saturday, a week ago yesterday (the 10th) I got a telegram that she had the mesquites.

After describing her appearance from disfigurement of confluent smallpox, he said:

She then got quiet and peaceful. She said, "father, mother, George, Mary and Jimmy, you are all—ah, and see, and I am to be comforted with you. In this state she lay back on her pillow, and in peace passed away to her Almighty Father, her last earthly act being to shake hands and bid me good-bye. On her lips her dying words were of you all and of me.

The robe was fastened around her dear neck with my Beta Pin which she loved so well. She died in sleep. Her hands was my picture, which she loved, and she, like as I have often seen her, tired and asleep. Don't grieve dear parents. Don't fret dear brother and sister. Though you have lost a daughter, a sister, you have left a brother, a son. While I, meanwhile, I am alone in the world—all alone.

Alone on this wide, wide sea.

And no one to take pity on.

My soul in agony.

What shall I do? I want to hide my face from man. You son and I are.

JAMES.

STOCKTON, May 5. Dear Brother and Sister: This morning I wrote to you and promised to write to-night. You see I keep my word.

As soon as I can get the cold shall start for a trip to Oregon. I am still here living here and there. I know it is to the State. Father is very anxious to have me take a trip for my health. Father has given up drinking again and is O.K. I have drunk hardly anything since February. Your brother,

JAMES.

In one of his letters to "Dear Sister" Mary he says:

Looking over the past, how many things we see to regret. Had we to live

over again how different would one act! How much unhappiness flows from one's being so bound as to be unable to follow the dictates and longings of one's heart.

Would to God I had known Nan better sooner. Then we could have been together now I hope. The past is past, we at least cannot change it. How I did love her none can tell. Life, ambition, hope of reward here and hereafter, of heaven itself, I would have sacrificed gladly, willingly. She knew this, and not for a moment crossed her mind the shadow of a doubt.

These letters require no comment. Mr. Budd was a married man when he wrote them. But, with the knowledge that his victim died in the pesthouse of San Francisco at the age of 15 years, the attorney who came to Budd, the honorable man who was asked to compare the treatment poor Nancy Neff received with that given by Bill Sykes to the other Nancy of sad history.

THE FACTS OF THE CASE.

The "Post's" Editorial Review of the Case Against Budd.

James H. Budd, Democratic nominee for Governor, has answered the charge that he betrayed his ward, Nancy Neff, and attempted to defraud her parents of their inheritance. The record of the court of the record of the court in which the case against him was investigated.

The Post has already submitted a portion of this record. It has published a certified copy of the proceedings had in a suit against Budd. In that action he could have proved his innocence of the charges. He did not do so. He claims that a court will vindicate him. Let us see about it.

This action was brought long subsequent to the dismissal of the first suit. It involved the partition of the very land which Budd had sought to get through his legal services.

To the record of the case, we will add the record of the trial, which prior conviction. Young Spinks was dismissed and Losher was ordered held on \$2000 bail.

From his actions, it would appear that Young Losher is a bad boy, almost beyond the power of reformation. When asked yesterday as to whether he would prefer to go to the Whittier Reform School rather than to the penitentiary, he expressed himself indifferently, and said he did not care if he was sent to Whittier.

He said he was in a like institution in St. Louis and ran away from there.

Pacific Gospel Union.

A special building for the use of the Pacific Gospel Union will be erected at one of the corners of the block between the

Christian workers home has been established. A corps of workers identified in the humanitarian as well as spiritual work of the union, and Superintendent Mason welcomes all. The past few days, F. H. Olmsted, formerly of Chicago city mission work, has conducted the meetings.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. A. Raymond Chandler will return, and on Thursday evening Mr. Chandler will sing. There is an increase of demand for help from

need.

The truth of this whole matter is that James H. Budd for five years struggled to shake off the record that was made in the case of Wells vs. Neff. Forced finally to come into court and defend himself, he pleaded every technical objection to the facts known to the law. He never met the charge with the indomitable spirit of an honest man. In the first case, where he had a chance to prove his innocence, he moved to strike out portions of the amended complaint and to transfer to the United States Court, and then he compromised and dismissed the suit. Are these the acts of an honorable man smarting under false charges?

The Post sets these facts down more in sorrow than in anger. It gives them to the public in pursuance of a bounden duty, not for the purpose of springing a political sensation.

Judged by his speeches, the platform upon which he is running, and the foul and dirty campaign he and his agents have made, James H. Budd is unfit to be Governor of California.

Whether he is personally unfit will be decided after the sword is drawn in the case. Will he be forced to leave the people? If there is then an honorable man in the State, the father of a virtuous daughter, the brother of an innocent sister, or a man who enjoys the respect of an honest wife, who can vote for him, he shall know.

The Post will be content to abide the issue.

In this matter we are performing a discreditable duty. We do not approve of the crowd induces. Budd himself has forced an examination of his record, and he is elected, now, to the thin veil which obscures the awful moral character of the man has been withdrawn. California certainly harbors a curious lot of people.

HIT WITH AN EGG.

The Quaker Performance of Three Young Women.

As a Tampi-street car going eastward was passing near Olive street at about 7:30 o'clock last evening, three young women were seen standing near the sidewalk on the south side and one of them threw an egg, which struck a passenger on the dummy, very much to the damage of his clothes.

Officer Fay and McLain, who happened to be on the car at the time, chased after the indignant young women, who ran around the rear of a nearby building and out of the junction with Spring street, a man approached him and asked for the price of a lodging. Upon his refusal to comply with the request, the man struck him a heavy blow just behind the ear and ran down Commercial street. Officer Rice was detailed on the watch and the officers located a man on Los Angeles street who, when asked, positively identified him as a man who had been arrested and brought to the Police Station, where, among other things found on him, was a finely sharpened shoe knife.

The man gave his name as George Roper and claimed he used the knife for grinding bones. His appearance indicates that he is a "hobo," although he does not seem to be as tough looking as are a good many of the "hobos" who find their way into the City Jail.

Assaulted by a Tramp.

H. J. Hughes called at the Police Station about 9:10 o'clock last night and stated that a short time before he had been at the junction with Spring street, a man approached him and asked for the price of a lodging. Upon his refusal to comply with the request, the man struck him a heavy blow just behind the ear and ran down Commercial street. Officer Rice was detailed on the watch and the officers located a man on Los Angeles street

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Lost His Watch.

A man who gave his name as Jacob Pindley called at the police station last night and stated that he was held up and robbed from his pocket, while he was in an inn in a place near the junction of Los Angeles and Alameda streets. Pindley was under the influence of some intoxicant and could not give a very clear explanation of how it happened.

ESTEE and MILLARD.

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS

Are announced as follows:

Oct. 24: Compton—Lordsburg.

Oct. 26: Wilmington—El Monte.

Federation of Republican Clubs

Oct. 24: Washington Gardens, L. A. (Hon. Jas. McLachlan and Gen. A. B. Campbell.)

Oct. 25: Clearwater (Gen. A. B. Campbell.)

Oct. 26: Long Beach, Alhambra, Lankershim.

Oct. 27: San Pedro, Whittier.

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Best collection in the city. For sale, plants

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NOTICE —

THE PUBLIC SERVICE

A Short Session of the City Council.

The Names of a Number of Streets Changed—Reports of Officers Presented.

Matters of Interest at the Court-house—The king of Testimony in the Pratt will Contest Concluded.

The City Council cleared up the week's business yesterday. Otherwise there was little of general interest occurring, although the issue of political conversation was frequently to be heard.

At the Courts—On Tuesday several matters of interest took place. The Pratt will contest, which had occupied the attention of Judge Clark for forty-one days, was concluded, so far as the taking of testimony was concerned. Judge York also handed down an important opinion, ruling on certain matters in connection with the punishment of failure to pay alimony in divorce cases.

AT THE CITY HALL.

Names of Streets. A NUMBER OF CHANGES MADE BY THE COUNCIL.

The members of the City Council, except Mr. Nichols, were in their seats within fifteen or twenty minutes after the time for opening yesterday morning. It being an adjourned session the Council immediately proceeded to take up regular business.

An ordinance introduced by the City Engineer was adopted, changing street names as follows:

—Pine street, running from Oak street to the west; city line, to Twentieth street; Jones street between Twentieth and Union avenue to Fourteenth street.

Highland avenue, between Bellevue avenue and Reservoir street, to Dillon street.

—Lyon street, between Ezra and Concord streets, to Bigie street.

Frances street, or Marvin street, between Pico and Twelfth streets, to Westlake avenue.

Park street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, to Franklin street.

Hoover street, or Huber street, running from Washington street south to an angle in said street, to Bush street.

York street or Dutard street, between Maple avenue and Thirtieth street, to Twenty-second street.

Fremont avenue, between Sunset boulevard and Scott avenue, to Sutherland street.

Boston street, between Brooklyn avenue and Sheridan street, from City View avenue to Lake Shore avenue.

Franklin street, between Aurora and Effie streets, to Lake Shore avenue.

Hanna street, between First and Second streets, to Fresno street.

Councilman Campbell moved that the Street Superintendent open up Alice avenue, by removing the fence at Summit street.

Councilman Munson moved that the Street Superintendent be instructed to level the roadway on Second street, between Fremont avenue and Pearl street. Adopted.

BIDS OPENED.

The only bid for the construction of a storm drain on Lazard street, from Center street to the river, was from Frick Bros., who offered to do the work for 60 cents per foot.

For the construction of an otherwise improving of Fourth street, between Wolfskill and Omar avenues, proposals were received from Butcher & Richmond, Molar & Smith, Stansberry & Moore, Nichols & Adams, McGehee & Robert Sherrill. The second section of the report of the Board of Public Works was over from Monday, recommending that the city be instructed to advertise for bids for the piping of the Arroyo de Los Reyes, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was taken up and a motion to adopt it failed to carry.

The objection raised against it was not that it was not needed, but that no specifications have as yet been adopted by the Council for such work. Councilman Munson then moved that the City Engineer be instructed to present such specifications, which motion was adopted.

SEWER MATTERS.

The Sewer Committee reported: "We recommend that the bid of L. L. Lemoine to construct sewer on Adams street from Main street to Maple avenue, at 74 cents per linear foot, for the sewer completion of the original contract of award adopted." Adopted.

In the matter of the petition of John E. Murray, asking that the sum of \$29.40 be refunded to him, we recommend that same petition be granted, as proceedings have been commenced to build a sewer upon this street, and the petitioner has paid 60 cents per foot to have his property with the sewer." Adopted.

"In the matter of the petition from Dr. W. W. Hitchcock and others, asking that they be granted permission to build a sewer on Twenty-seventh street, between Main street and G Street, by private contract, we would recommend that same be granted and the City Attorney instructed to prepare and present necessary ordinance." Adopted.

We recommend that a sewer be ordered built on Hope street, from Court to Temple street, and on Main street from Hope to Pearl street, as recommended by the City Engineer." Adopted.

The Board of Public Works reported, recommending that the bid of Frick Bros. for constructing a storm drain on Lazard street for 60 cents per foot, presented a few minutes ago, be accepted and the City Attorney instructed to prepare the necessary contract and bonds." Adopted.

Ordinances were adopted giving property-owners permission to improve by private contract Thirtieth street between Swift and Hoover streets; Florida street between Moore street and its western terminus; Bush street between Pico and Sherman streets; and Twenty-seventh street (sewer) between Main street and Grand avenue.

A ZANJA MATTER.

The Zanja Committee reported the following:

In the matter of the petition from Hagan and others objecting to zanja water being allowed to run on the surface of Tberman street, we find that the Street Superintendent has recently roaded up Tberman street and placed it in excellent condition. We find that no public zanja runs on or along said street; that but two or three parties have taken water using this street as a conduit, and that it is a positive damage to said street to allow the same to run along and across it, as has been done.

We therefore recommend that the Water Overseer sell no water to be run along the surface of Tberman street, but that the property-owners be allowed to

construct a pipe for such purpose along said street, the city agreeing to pipe across all intersections." Adopted.

ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The City Engineer reported: "Ordinance of intention to grade, gravel and construct a cement curb and walk on Constance street, from Pico street to Sixteenth street." Adopted.

"Ordinance of intention to establish the grade of Tehama street, from State street to Bridge street." Adopted.

"Ordinance of intention to establish the grade of Clay street, from Third street to Fourth street." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Railroad street, from Main street to its east end." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of San Joaquin street, from Ocean View avenue to its northern terminus." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Wilshire street, from Main street to Oliphant street." Adopted.

"Ordinance for the severing of sewer district No. 4, and repealing the former ordinance for the same. In this ordinance I have changed the location of the sewers from the streets to the ways in the Arlington tract, as referred to in the Sewer Committee. (The district referred to lies in the neighborhood of Union avenue, between Pico and Washington streets.)

Councilman Pessell moved that the Water Overseer furnish the contractor grading Eighteenth street enough cement pipe to pipe the zanja crossing said street. Adopted.

Adjourned.

Petitions.

From Ida M. Holden and others, asking that Cambria street, between Union avenue and Vernon street, be graded, and redwood curbed. Board of Public Works.

From Julia Baker, protesting against the grading, gravel sidewalk and redwood curbing of First street, between Hope and Flower streets. Board of Public Works.

City Hall Notes.

The Fire Commission will meet this morning.

The Police Commission failed to meet yesterday, there being no quorum present, and an adjournment was taken till 2 p.m. today.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

The Courts. THE LAMBERTON CASE—PRATT WILL CONTEST CONCLUDED.

In Department Four yesterday morning the plaintiff in the divorce suit of Gladys Lambertson vs. W. W. Lambertson appeared before Judge Van Dyke in response to a citation requiring her to show cause, if any there was, why the defendant should not be allowed to see his children. It appearing that she had been separated from him that evening, fearing that he might make an effort to take them from her by force. Upon the proper showing being made to the court an order was made allowing Lambertson to see the children in the presence of counsel once each day of this week at the Sheriff's office.

THE PRATT WILL CONTEST.

The trial of the famous contest over the will of the late Mrs. Annie A. Pratt, of San Francisco, to determine the attention of Judge Clark and a jury for thirty-one days in the Probate Court, was concluded yesterday afternoon, so far as the taking of testimony is concerned, and the matter was continued until November 7 next, for argument.

The last day's proceedings commenced with J. A. Schiller upon the stand for the contestants, who sought to show by him that Fred L. Alles had not requested him to draw up a certain deed at a certain date, the latter had testified to, and this being done, the contestants rested.

Clerk Blake was at the request of the contestants, who had been affixed to the will in the County Clerk's office from that document, in order that the jurors might inspect it and see for themselves that the claim that the will was not in the same condition now than it was originally was founded on fact.

After the trial, the contestants, who were then recalled by the proponents in rebuttal for the purpose of showing that the former had visited the latter's office at some time for the purpose of having a certain deed drawn up, and both sides closed.

"In the case of Johnson vs. Superior Court, Oct. 20, Court ruled that the contestants had produced evidence sufficient to warrant the submission to the jury of the issues with regard to fraud and undue influence on the part of the Mansfields, which the court intimated might be withdrawn, and at the close of the trial, the court, in this particular, which had been pending since September 18 last, went over until November 7 next, for final argument.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

In Department One yesterday Oran Miller, a sturdy youth about 18 years of age, appeared before Judge Smith and a jury to answer to the charge of having murdered an old fisherman named Peterson, but better known by the sobriquet of "Russian Pete," in his cabin at Portuguese Bend, near San Pedro, on July 7.

The defendant was represented by L. H. Foley, Esq., while Deputies M. W. Conkling and Le Compte Davis of the District Attorney's office appeared to prosecute the case.

The morning of the trial was consumed in securing a jury, the following jurors being selected to try the case: James G. Quinn, Edward C. Guinn, H. G. Humphreys, E. H. Lockwood, L. Melzer, Tony Messmer, P. J. McMahon, M. McCullum, R. Quinn, H. Y. Stanley and P. Stoll.

A number of witnesses were examined for the prosecution during the afternoon session, and it was shown by them that the defendant, who had been committed to the Whittier State School from Fresno, had as far as the court could learn, been good and obedient to his teachers, and after the shooting, had been good and obedient to his employer, the lighthouse at Point Fermin, while he subsequently traded for a revolver with a rancher, who lived some seven miles south of Redondo Beach. On July 7 he went to "Russian Pete's" cabin and asked for a drink of water. The old fisherman, who was sitting outside the door, told the defendant to help himself, and young Miller went into the cabin for a rifle, which he subsequently traded for a revolver with a rancher, who lived some seven miles south of Redondo Beach. On July 7 he went to "Russian Pete's" cabin and asked for a drink of water. 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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.

U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles, Oct. 23.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 60.0° at 5 p.m. 60.1°. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 58 deg. Maximum temperature, 71 deg.; minimum temperature, 50 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Bulletin.

United States Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau. Reports received at Los Angeles, Cal., at October 23, 1894. Observations taken at all stations at 8 p.m., seventy-ninth meridian time.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.	Barometer.	Temperature.
Los Angeles, cloudy	30.00	68
San Diego, cloudy	30.02	69
Long Beach, rain	30.03	56
French, rain	30.03	56
San Francisco, clear	30.04	58
Sacramento, partly cloudy	30.02	60
Red Bluff, rain	29.96	58
San Jose, cloudy	29.94	60
Portland, cloudy	29.62	54

GEORGE E. FRANKLIN, Observer.

The elegant new station at Capistrano will be formally opened to the public Saturday, October 28. A special train will leave La Grande Station at 8:15 a.m., returning to leave Capistrano at 10:45 a.m. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George W. White in the presence of the immediate members of the family represented and a half dozen young lady friends. After congratulations had been offered the bride and groom led the way to the dining-room, where a delicious wedding breakfast was served from a table bright and fragrant with roses and smilax. The wedding gifts were unusually elegant and valuable, representing the good will of friends, both here and San Francisco and the East. Both bride and groom are known in the social circles of the First Methodist Church and a large band of friends will join in extending congratulations, hearty and sincere. Mr. and Mrs. Whittier left on the 2:30 p.m. train for Coronado, where they will spend a few days, after which they will return to this city and occupy their cozy new home at No. 1028 Santa street.

Wallace Bros.' standard plated A.A. tea-spoons, 25 cents; forks and tablespoons, 50 cents. Cut into them and see the white metal. At Keefer's, No. 204 South Spring street, today only.

Special Notice. The members of the First World Cupper Union are requested to meet at room 21, Bryant Block, Wednesday, October 24, at 8 p.m.

Special prices on fine shoes for gentlemen during the clearance sale at William Gibson's, No. 142 North Spring street.

Largest size quadruple silver-plated waiters, worth \$24, will be sold today only at \$8 at Keefer's, opposite Hollenbeck.

Kregel & Bresce, funeral directors, corner Sixth and Broadway. Open day and night. Body attendant. Tel. No. 243.

Visit the Andesine Hot Springs, the finest mountain resort on the Coast. See notice under hotels.

The Investor, G. A. Dobinson editor: published Wednesdays. On sale at newsstands.

Mantels, tiles, office fittings, hardware lumber. H. Bohman, No. 514 South Spring.

Sanitary oil heaters; entirely new. Nauert & Cass Hardware Co., 326 S. Spring.

A large, well-lighted front room on the third floor of Times Building for rent.

Plums of bargains for today's slaughter at Keefer's, opposite the Hollenbeck.

Evangelistic meeting tonight at Peniel Hall, No. 227 South Main street.

First Baptist Church, funeral of Prof. Hall. Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Only men can get shoes at Barden's.

Bleached cemetery at Althouse Bros.

Deputy Customs Collector Charles Shober is confined to his home with a sprained ankle.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt in this city yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The vibrations were so slight as to be scarcely noticeable.

Chairman Fred W. Wood of the Republican County Central Committee is under the weather and was unable to be at the committee rooms yesterday.

There was undivided telegram from the Western Union office for O. L. Allen, A. F. Judson, Martin W. A. Irish, W. B. Marshall, Robert E. Stidham.

Another car has been put on the Pico electric line, giving a fifteen-minute service. This section of the city is building up very rapidly, and the increased accommodation is highly appreciated by citizens along the line.

Chief Glance received a telegram yesterday afternoon from the office of Detective Aube's right, to him. Van Scollar as a prisoner in Nebraska has been admitted into the Supreme Court of the State and it is expected a decision in the case will be rendered within a week.

At the Park Congregational Church, Rev. T. Hendry, pastor, Sunday morning the services were conducted by Superintendent C. M. M. of the Pacific Gospel Union. Eight came forward to join the church. There is quite a revival on this church. Meetings are held every night.

Miss Ethel Mary Pierson Oden died in this city at the residence of her brother, L. E. Oden, Monday night at 10 o'clock. The body is being embalmed and will be shipped to Minneapolis, her former home, to be buried there. Services will be held at Gethsemane Church in this city and she will be buried by the side of her mother.

Capt. Jack Wilson, the champion swimmer and trick performer, accompanied by Dan Green and Dana Thompson, champion trapeze and fancy divers, who also hold the world's record for the half-mile and fifty-five-yard distance, have arrived in San Francisco and are making arrangements to give an exhibition of high and fancy diving at Westlake Park.

PERSONALS.

Theodore Allen and wife of Harqua Hala, Ariz., are among the Hollenbeck guests.

Lewis Smith and wife and Miss Maggie Smith of San Francisco are among the Nadeau guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gaillard and son of San Diego are staying at the Westminster for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bordwell and Mr. and Mrs. T. Kinnaman of Riverside are at the Westminster.

Miss J. I. Potter, Sister Sebastian and Mother Louis of San Rafael registered at the Westminster yesterday.

Mrs. Hamp and Mrs. Beddow and son of Colorado Springs were among the arrivals at the Westminster yesterday.

Mrs. Shortridge, wife of C. M. Shortridge, editor of the San Jose Mercury, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. E. Singleton, in this city.

Dr. Gladwell of Ghirardelli & Son's chocolate factory, down from San Francisco on a flying business trip, with headquarters at Cook & Langley's commission house.

LADIES, YOU CAN GET

All-wool fascinators at 25¢; jersey-ribbed knitted skirts at 50¢; large leather shopping bags at 25¢; glove-kin leather purses at 10¢; leather chateaux bags at 25¢; all-silk Windsor scarfs at 15¢; silk, silver buckle and slide belts at 25¢; black-satin silk-stitch corset at 50¢; child's Ferris waist at 25¢; Swiss embroidered handkerchiefs at 10¢; lots of bargains, at Winesburg's, No. 309 South Spring street.

IF YOU HAVE OVER-INDULGED IN EATING OR DRINKING, TAKE A DOSE OF SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR.

COUPON.

This will entitle the bearer to one copy of "Gathered Jewels of Song," upon presentation of this coupon. Price, 25 cents; 100 pages of late, choice, popular songs, with music.

THE TIMES.

Times Bldg., First and Broadway.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

Turn on the Search-light,

The Mount Lowe search-light, or the search-light of your better judgment. Flash it brilliantly on every stock in town, then flash it here on our monstrous mountains of magnificent merchandise. Both search-light and your judgment will tell you there are no such assortments, no such little prices, no such grand buying and selling as here. As for the Great Sale of Furnishings, Hats and Boys' Clothing at 65c on the dollar. You don't need search-light or judgment to see the wisdom of BUYING NOW.

Bond Embankment Case Dismissed.

The case in which E. E. Bond was charged with embezzlement was dismissed in the Police Court yesterday on motion of Deputy District Attorney Rush. It was explained that the complaining witness in the case is very sick, and that Detective Aube, who made the arrest, is out of town and not likely to be here for some time.

It is the one who was charged with having used what is known as a "brother-in-law" while he was acting as conductor on an electric car. The device is so small that it may be concealed in the palm of the hand, yet it can, when so concealed, be made to cause a ring which sounds like the ring of the register such as street-car conductors carry. By ringing the "brother-in-law" at the right time a conductor may make it appear that he has registered a fare, when, as a matter of fact, he has not, thus giving him a chance to pocket the coin.

THE KENSINGTON.

Elegant flats, on Temple street, opposite Office, will be finished in about two weeks. To be rented to responsible parties without children. See owner, No. 143 South Spring street.

MY NEW LAMP-HEATING DEVICE. Banishes all prejudice against oil stoves. Having a chimney, draught and combustion are complete and odorless. Twenty-seven hundred sold last season. Get circular at F. E. Browne's, No. 316 South Spring street.

BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR. Published Wednesday. Latest building news. Office, No. 125 Broadway.

SIMMONS Liver Regulator is my only family medicine.—Rev. J. M. Collins, Fairfield, Va.

HUTCHINSON-CHAUVIN.

A pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at No. 1180 Pearl Street, the contract parties being Miss Laura A. Chauvin and W. G. Hutchinson, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. Chichester.

The near relatives were present. The house was very beautifully decorated, the dining-room being in pink roses and smilax, the parlor in white roses and smilax, and the reception hall in red roses and smilax. The presents were numerous and costly.

The bride, who was dressed in white brocade silk, was attended by her cousin, Miss Fanny Young, and the groom, by his brother, J. P. Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson left on the 7:45 train for the North.

AFTERNON RECITAL.

A delightful recital was given last Saturday afternoon by the pupils of Miss E. M. Jordan at her residence, No. 621 South Main street, assisted by Misses Bierlich and James, Messrs. Charles Valentine and Julian. Those who participated were: Charles White, John Lambeth, Joe Lashbrook, Carrie Austin, Juanita Austin, Geneva Knoll, Mabel Knoll, Jessie McFadden, Alice Stevens, Ethel Shriver and Maude Lee.

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